



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of :  
STOCKSTAD : Group Art Unit: Unknown  
Serial No.: 09/711,420 : Examiner: Unknown  
FILED: November 13, 2000 :

Title: INTEGRATED CIRCUIT AND METHOD OF OPERATION

**VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS**  
(Small Business)

I hereby declare that I am an official of, and authorized to act on behalf of, the small entity identified below:

NAME OF ENTITY: Gain Technology Corporation  
ADDRESS OF ENTITY: 2700 W. Broadway Boulevard  
Tucson, Arizona 85745

I hereby declare that the above identified entity qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 C.F.R. §§ 121.801-805 and reproduced in 37 C.F.R. § 1.27, for purposes of paying reduced fees under 35 U.S.C. §§ 41(a) and (b), in that the number of employees of the entity, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement: (1) the number of employees of the entity is the average over the previous fiscal year of the entity of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time, or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year; and (2) entities are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one entity controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties control or have the power to control both.

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the entity identified above with regard to the invention entitled:

**INTEGRATED CIRCUIT AND METHOD OF OPERATION**

filed herewith. If the rights held by the entity identified above are not exclusive, I have identified below each individual, concern, or organization having rights to the invention. (If none write "NONE"). For each such individual, concern, or organization, I have indicated whether such qualifies as an individual, small business concern, or nonprofit organization. I declare that I have not assigned, granted, conveyed, or licensed and am under no obligation under contract or law to assign, grant, convey, or license any rights in the invention to any person or entity that could not be classified as a small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

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**Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status**

Name

Address

Classification

(individual, small business, nonprofit)

NONE

I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate, per 37C.F.R. § 1.27.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

Name of Person Signing:

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Title of Person Other Than Owner:

Executive Vice President and Chief Technical Officer

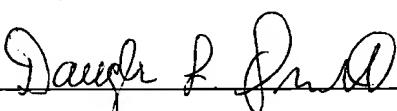
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**POWER OF ATTORNEY**

Gain Technology Corporation, the owner of the above-referenced patent application via an Assignment from the sole inventor Troy L. Stockstad, hereby revokes all previous powers of attorney and appoints George C. Chen, Reg. No. 39,935; Maurice B. Stiefel, Reg. No. 18,479; Lawrence G. Kurland, Reg. No. 24,895; Stephen P. Gilbert, Reg. No. 27,893; Mark E. Waddell, Reg. No. 31,803; David A. Roodman, Reg. No. 35,663; N. Whitney Wilson, Reg. No. 38,661; Daniel A. Crowe, Reg. No. 39,644; Stephen M. Haracz, Reg. No. 33,397; Warren K. MacRae, Reg. No. 37,876; David O'Neill, Reg. No. 35,304; Kevin C. Hooper, Reg. No. 40,402; Kathleen Gersh, Reg. No. 41,806; Christopher J. Hayes, Reg. No. 41,822; Leo G. Lenna, Reg. No. 42,796; of the firm of Bryan Cave LLP, Two North Central Avenue, Suite 2200, Phoenix, Arizona, 85004, telephone (602) 364-7000, facsimile (602) 364-7000, as its attorneys with full powers of substitution, revocation, and association, to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified patent.

The Assignment referred to above was mailed to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on November 13, 2000 for recordation, and a copy of the Assignment is enclosed herewith.

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Dated: Dec 5, 2000

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